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Dear Sir or Madam:

Please amend this application as follows:

In the claims:

Delete all four (4) existing claims and replace with the following:

I claim:

Rule 1.126
A'
1. A method for storing and retrieving information using common materials, said method comprising:

selecting a Subject, such as a function, topic, issue, problem or opportunity;